

CHILD NUTRITION AND FOOD DISTRIBUTION DIVISION MANAGEMENT BULLETIN

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FROM: **CHILD CARE FOOD PROGRAM**

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TO: **CHILD CARE CENTER SPONSORS**

SUBJECT: **1998-99 CHILD CARE FOOD PROGRAM FEDERAL REIMBURSEMENT RATES**

PURPOSE

This Management Bulletin is to provide each sponsor with the new federal reimbursement rates for the 1998-99 Fiscal Year.

- **Federal Reimbursement Rates**

The Federal Reimbursement Rates for Child Care Centers, and Outside-School-Hours-Care Centers, as displayed on the attached table, are effective July 1, 1998 through June 30, 1998.

- **Pricing Program Rates**

For programs that charge separately for meals, the maximum reduced price charges remain unchanged, and are as follows: **Breakfast – 30 cents, Lunch/Supper – 40 cents, and Supplements – 15 cents.**

- **State Meal Reimbursement Rates**

The State Meal Reimbursement Rates for Child Care Centers will be announced at a later date.

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CHILD CARE CENTERS **OUTSIDE-SCHOOL-HOURS-CARE CENTERS**

FEDERAL REIMBURSEMENT RATES

The new federal rates to be used for food service payments in the Child Care Food Program will be in effect from July 1, 1998 through June 30, 1999.

- **BREAKFAST**

Base	\$0.2000	(20 cents)
Reduced Price	\$0.7725	(77 ¼ cents)
Free	\$1.0725	(\$1.07 ¼ cents)

- **SUPPLEMENTS**

Base	\$0.0400	(4 cents)
Reduced Price	\$0.2675	(26 ¾ cents)
Free	\$0.5325	(53 ¼ cents)

- **LUNCH/SUPPER**

Base	\$0.1800	(18 cents)
Reduced Price	\$1.5425	(\$1.54 ¼ cents)
Free	\$1.9425	(\$1.94 ¼ cents)

The rates listed above do not include the value of cash-in-lieu of commodities. Sponsors who elect to receive cash-in-lieu of commodities will be notified of the assigned value of cash-in-lieu of commodities as soon as they are published by USDA.

STATE MEAL REIMBURSEMENT RATES

STATE MEAL REIMBURSEMENT RATES ARE NOT AVAILABLE. THEY WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE TO YOU AS SOON AS WE RECEIVE THEY ARE RECEIVED IN OUR OFFICE.